LIBEL FILED: March 31, 1954, Eastern District of Oklahoma.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about May 7 and November 5, 1952, and January 27, 1953, from Wichita, Kans., St. Louis, Mo., and Chicago, Ill.

PRODUCT: 2 cases, each containing 24 7-ounce packages, 4 cases, each containing 24 12-ounce bags, and 4 cases, each containing 24 16-ounce bags, of macaroni, and 8 cases, each containing 24 7-ounce packages, and 3 cases, each containing 24 12-ounce bags, of spaghetti, at Krebs, Okla.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the articles consisted in whole or in part of filthy substances by reason of the presence of insects. The articles were adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: June 14, 1954. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

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21562. Adulteration of unpopped popcorn. U. S. v. 13 Cartons * * *. (F. D. C. No. 36754. Sample No. 63877-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 27, 1954, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about January 28 and March 31, 1954, by the Excel Popcorn Co., from Fairfield, Iowa.

PRODUCT: 13 cartons, each containing 24 packages, of unpopped popcorn at Kirksville, Mo.

LABEL, IN PART: (Package) "Top-Value * * * Hy-Brid Pop Corn Guaranteed To Pop Net Weight 1 Lb."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent-gnawed kernels, rodent excreta, and rodent urine; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article had been prepared under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: July 14, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21563. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 17 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 36748. Sample No. 83747-L.)

LIBEL FILED: May 21, 1954, District of North Dakota.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about February 24, 1954, from De Witt, Ark.

PRODUCT: 17 100-pound bags of rice at Grand Forks, N. Dak., in possession of the Nash-Finch Co.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of rodent urine and rodent excreta; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the article had been held under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: July 20, 1954. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

21564. Adulteration of Dumplets. U. S. v. 10 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 35953. Sample No. 82257-L.)

LIBEL FILED: November 6, 1953, District of Kansas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about November 17, 1950, from Kansas City, Mo.

PRODUCT: 10 cases, each containing 24 5-ounce bags, of Dumplets at Iola, Kans.